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The Honorable Jesse M. Furman United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007 Applications DENIED, except that sentencing is RESCHEDULED to June 2, 2022, at 10 a.m. Defense submissions in connection with sentencing are due two weeks prior to the sentencing date; the Government's submissions are due one week before the sentencing date. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Docket No. 426. SO ORDERED.

RE: <u>United States v. Michael Avenatti</u> 19 Cr. 374 (JMF)

Dear Judge Furman:

Cc:

March 21, 2022

The defense respectfully seeks a 60-day adjournment of the sentencing proceeding in the above-captioned case and requests that the Court sentence Mr. Avenatti via videoconference. The Government objects to an adjournment, but does not object to a remote sentencing hearing.

A 60-day adjournment is necessary to afford the defense adequate time to prepare and obtain mitigation related to loss-amount arguments under Application Note 3(E)(i) to U.S.S.G. § 2B1.1 and 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a). The defense also anticipates pursuing variance-related arguments under 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(2)(D) and requires additional time to obtain relevant records and data.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/

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